

**“DODGE THE LODGE”
M-10 (Lodge Freeway)
Fact Sheet**

Beginning Sept. 24, 2004, the northbound and southbound Lodge Freeway will be closed at I-94. The closures are necessary to facilitate the reconstruction of both Lodge Freeway bridges over I-94 in Detroit. The schedule calls for the bridges to be open to traffic by Thursday, Nov. 25, 2004.

Southbound Lodge closure:

Through traffic using southbound Lodge to head into downtown Detroit:

- 1) Traffic on southbound Lodge will be funneled into one lane directing traffic onto eastbound M-8 (Davison Freeway). The exit to eastbound Davison is located in the left lane.
- 2) Motorists will be guided from eastbound Davison Freeway to southbound I-75.
- 3) Use southbound I-75 into the downtown area. When approaching the I-375 connector, veer right to continue on southbound I-75.
- 4) Continue south on I-75 to the M-10 interchange to connect with the southbound Lodge.

Local traffic using the southbound Lodge to get to the New Center Area and Henry Ford Hospital will be funneled into one lane at the Davison Freeway. One lane of traffic will be maintained to West Grand Boulevard. Traffic will be directed from M-10 at West Grand Boulevard to the New Center Area and Henry Ford Hospital. The local lane of traffic will continue to the westbound I-94 ramp where all traffic will be forced to exit.

Northbound Lodge closure:

Through traffic using northbound Lodge heading towards northwest Detroit and Oakland County:

- 1) Exit northbound Lodge onto northbound I-75.
 - 2) Use northbound I-75 to westbound I-94.
 - 3) Use westbound I-94 to northbound M-10.
- (all the through traffic movements are right lane exits)

Local traffic using the northbound Lodge to the Medical Center Area and Wayne State University can continue north on M-10 until the closure at I-94. An alternate route follows for local traffic entering northbound M-10 north of the I-75 interchange:

- 1) Northbound Lodge traffic will be forced to exit onto eastbound I-94.
- 2) Take eastbound I-94 to northbound I-75 (right-lane exit).

- 3) Use northbound I-75 to the westbound Davison Freeway (right lane exit).
- 4) Continue west on Davison to the Lodge interchange. Connect with northbound Lodge from westbound Davison.

Motorists needing to access westbound I-94 from northbound Lodge, south of I-75, may exit onto southbound I-75 to westbound I-96 in order to connect with westbound I-94.

Details of the I-94/M-10 interchange:

- 1) Westbound I-94 traffic will be able to access northbound Lodge from the right lane and southbound Lodge from the left lane for the duration of the project.
- 2) Eastbound I-94 will be able to access southbound Lodge from the right lane at all times.
- 3) The eastbound I-94 ramp to northbound Lodge will be closed from 9 a.m. on Sept. 20 through 9 p.m. on Sept. 30 for repairs. Motorists may use eastbound I-94 to northbound I-75 to westbound Davison in order to connect with northbound Lodge.
- 4) Access will be maintained from northbound Lodge to eastbound and westbound I-94.

Alternate routes for southbound M-10:

- 1) Woodward Avenue (M-1) into the New Center Area or downtown.
- 2) Southbound I-75 and exit on Clay/East Grand Boulevard. Head west on the boulevard into the New Center Area.
- 3) Southbound I-75 to southbound I-375 to exit onto Jefferson Avenue for the downtown area.
- 4) Eastbound I-96 to northbound I-75 to southbound Lodge for the downtown area.

Ramp closures in conjunction with the freeway closure for the duration of the project:

- 1) Forest entrance ramp to northbound Lodge.
- 2) Linwood entrance ramp to southbound Lodge.
- 3) Davison entrance ramp to southbound Lodge.
- 4) Glendale entrance ramp to southbound Lodge.
- 5) Webb entrance ramp to southbound Lodge.
- 6) Chicago entrance ramp to southbound Lodge.
- 7) Clairmount entrance ramp to southbound Lodge.
- 8) Milwaukee entrance ramp to southbound Lodge.
- 9) Southbound Lodge ramp to eastbound I-94.